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Know all men by these preents, That wee Jeremi: waters bond Waters of Somerset County in the sd province of Maryland Marriner and Arthur Denwood of the the portugueez boy County and Province afores planter are holden and ffirmly bounden unto Maj Thomas Ennalls of Dorchester County Merch in the full and Just Sume of two hundred pounds Sterl Current and lawfull money of and in England to be paid Convenient unto the sd major Ennalls his heirs Executors Admrs or Assignes To which paymt well & truly to p. 371 be made We bind Us or Either of us, our heirs or Either of them Joyntly or severally ffirmly In Witness whereof we have hereunto set our hand and Seals this Seventeenth day of July Anno Domini 1696. The Condition of this Obligation is such that if the above bounden Jeremi: Waters doth procure a Portugueez boy from Carolina and the same bring into this province & deliver him with all expedition to the sd Majr Ennalls in Ord^r to his passage home to the Madera's as in a Speciall Warr^t Signed by his Ex^{ncy} ffrancis Nicholson Govern^r of this his Mats province is expressed, & also save the sd Ennalls & his Correspondents in the Madera's harmless and indemnifyed that then this Obligation to be Void & of none Effect otherwise to be in full force strength and Vertue. Signed Sealed and Delivered Jeremiah Waters [Seal] In the presence off us. Arthur Denwood [Seale] W Boseman. The above sd Bond taken by me, W^m Heath David Browne,

July the 10th 1696.

The Councill again Sate and were preent as Yesterday.

Whitehall

Read an Information made by Matthew Scarborough as follows Vizt. The Information of Mr Matthew Scarborough of Somerset County.

Mr Scarboroughs information touching illegall at the Inlet in Somerset County.

This Informant Sayth, that about the middle of June last there Came a certain Sloope or Vessell from Philadelphia into the Inlet upon the Sea Side in Somerset County which (as this Informant being Credibly told) having her loading of Tobo Provision Whitehall and other Goods ready provided for her, tooke the Same on board and went away therewith without Entring or Clearing.

Matth: Scarborough

Taken before his Exncy the 10th day of July 1696. Hen: Denton C of Concil